GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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LOK SABHA

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WORLD BANK ASSISTANCE FOR COMPREHENSIVE AGRICULTURE DEVELOPMENT PROJECT
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Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government of Gujarat has worked out the comprehensive Agriculture Development Project (NAEP-III) at cost of Rs.460.89 crores for World Bank assistance and submitted the same to the Government for approval;

(b) if so, the details of the project; and

(c) the action taken by the Government in the matter so far?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI HUKUMDEO NARAYAN YADAV)

(a)&(b): Yes Madam. This project proposal has been designed for a period of seven years, with the objective of providing broad-based agricultural extention services to farmers for covering the whole gamut of resource based activities pertaining to State Agriculture, Horticulture, Animal Husbandry, Soil and Water Conservation,Agricultural Education, Research and Extention Education, Irrigation and Water Management, Fisheries, Rural Roads, Environment Pollution and Forestry Sectors.

(c): The proposal has already been forwarded to Planning Commission and the Department of Economic Affairs for necessary sanction.